

Tuesday March 9, 2010 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

(sign in begins at 8:30am, doors close promptly at 9am)

This course will review current legal issues and ethical concerns for staff working in the County Behavioral Health Care Setting. Staff will learn about and be able to describe:

- New state laws affecting their practices
- The HITECH Act and federal breach notification and reporting requirements.
- How to improve patient care through collaboration, with a review of confidentiality concerns and chain of command issues
- Continuing issues with EMTALA and psychiatric emergencies, and how new state law helps with certain 5150 issues.
- The importance of disaster planning for behavioral health clients.

Presented by Linda Garrett, JD

Location:

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